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Re: Patent Term Extension
Application for
U.S. Patent No. 4,696,949

Dear Mr. Kubovcik:

A certificate under 35 U.S.C. § 156 is enclosed extending the term of U.S. Patent No. 4,696,949 for a period of five years. While a courtesy copy of this letter is being forwarded to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), you should directly correspond with the FDA regarding any required changes to the patent expiration dates set forth in the Patent and Exclusivity Data Appendix of the Orange Book (Approved Drug Products with Therapeutic Equivalence Evaluations) or in the Patent Information set forth in the Green Book (FDA Approved Animal Drug Products).

Telephone inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to the undersigned at (703)306-3159.

Karin Tyson

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cc: David T. Read
Acting Director Regulatory Policy Staff, CDER
Food and Drug Administration
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Re: FARESTON®
FDA Docket No. 97E-0357

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CERTIFICATE EXTENDING PATENT TERM
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 156

PATENT NO. : 4,696,949
ISSUED : September 29, 1987
INVENTOR(S) : Reijo J. Toivola, et al.
PATENT OWNER : Orion-Yhtymä Oy
PRODUCT : FARESTON® (toremifene citrate)

This is to certify that there has been presented to the

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an application under 35 U.S.C. § 156 for an extension of the patent term. Since it appears that the requirements of the law have been met, this certificate extends the term of the patent for the period of

Five years

from September 29, 2004, the original expiration date of the patent, subject to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 41(b), with all rights pertaining thereto as provided by 35 U.S.C. § 156(b).



I have caused the seal of the Patent and Trademark Office to be affixed this 13th day of October 1999.

Q. Todd Dickinson

Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce and
Acting Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks